

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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<b>Applicant:</b>	Bornzin et al.	<b>Confirmation No.:</b>	8723
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<b>Docket No.:</b>	A03P1072		
<b>For:</b>	IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC DEFIBRILLATION ASSEMBLY INCLUDING A SELF-EVALUATION SYSTEM AND METHOD		

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Estella Pineiro

Date

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action final mailed August 21, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: